The regular meeting of the City Council was held in the Municipal Court Room on June 18, 1968 at $7:30~P_{\bullet}M_{\bullet}$ with Mayor Flanary presiding.

Present: V. O. Flanary, G. E. Hunnicutt, C. W. Bryant, R. L. Collins, S. H. Neeley

Also Present: Robert Stump, Attorney, and David Norman, City Manager

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Hershel Bowers appeared before council expressing his appreciation for consideration and results of his request from last council meeting. Mr. Bowers inquired as to whether there will be any water at his property level and what will have to be done in order to get sufficient water pressure. After a lengthy discussion and on motion by S.H. Neeley, seconded by C.W. Bryant and carried by unanimous vote, council instructed the City manager to check and see what it will take to furnish water at these new house sites and to furnish more adequate pressure to surrounding residents and report to council as soon as possible.

Mr. T.D. Lassiter appeared before council requesting that the street lighting #4420 be improved in the southside section. Council instructed the City manager to investigate said matter and report back to council.

The City Manager presented recommended paving program for budget year 1968-69.

#4421

On motion by S.H. Neeley, seconded by R.L. Collins and carried by unanimous vote council approved the recommended paving program as presented and discussed.

Mr. Norman advised council of the N. & W Agreement setting forth the city's share of cost of maintenance of railroad signals, said cost to be 50%.

#4422

Mr. Norman presented letter from Mr. Russell of TV Cable System of which council requested a copy.

#4423

On motion by C.W. Bryant, seconded by R.L. Collins and carried by unanimous roll call vote the budget for ensuing year 1968-69 was passed on second reading.

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Councilman Hunnicutt spoke briefly regarding finances of the city stating that #4425 said finances in best shape in recent years if not in best shape in history. Mr. Hunnicutt further stated that he challenges the person that made statement during recent election campaign that the city's finances are all fouled up, to come before council and point out error in the city's finances or apologize for such statement.

Mr. Norman presented request of Wise County Library for additional funds, said #4426 funds for paving purposes.

Council instructed the city manager to discuss this matter with the library officials.

Mr. Norman presented request of Commissioner's office for air conditioner. #4427 The city manager was instructed to check into it and to also check air conditioning entire building and also insulating of upstairs rooms.

Council discussed financial report for month of May, 1968.

#4428

#4429

On motion by S.H. Neeley, seconded by C.W. Bryant and carried by unanimous vote council moved that Mr. M.B. Thrower be appointed to audit city records for year 1967-68, said audit to be completed by September 1, 1968.

Council discussed briefly the new garbage truck.

#4430

There being no further business to come before the council same $\text{adjourned}_{\bullet}$

Mayor B. Floren

Clerk